GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

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IMPORT OF IMPROVED VARIETY OF SEEDS
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are importing seeds of improved variety in order to meet the shortage;

(b) if so, the total number of improved varieties of seeds imported during the last three years and the amount spent on their import separately, year-wise; and

(c) the details of distribution of those seeds to various States/Union Territories?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a): No, Sir.

(b) & (c): Question do not arise.